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Another array of Bargains. Cut out this advertisement and bring it with you.

8 dozen Ladies' Natural Union Suits, formerly sold at 75c at 39c

50 dozen Fancy Bordered Towels, 18x36 inch 4c each

16 dozen Men's and Boys' Calf Gloves and Mittens, sold up to \$1.25 pair 18c

18 dozen Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Fleece Lined Pants 18c

20 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Hose 61c

Just received, 100 dozen Men's Seamless Socks 6 pairs for 25c

22 dozen Men's Natural and White Shirts and Drawers, always sold 75c 43c

15 dozen Men's Working Shirts, assorted styles, formerly sold 75c 3 for \$1.00

A few more Ladies' Fine White Shirts, laundered, at same old price 3 for \$1.00

3 dozen Ladies' fancy Sateen Comforts, large size, formerly sold \$2 each 81c pair

14 dozen Men's heavy Overalls, warranted not to rip, always sold 65c 42c

10 pieces all silk Clifton Laces, always sold 50c, at 25c

25 pieces Anakong Dress Ginghams, sold everywhere at 10c 6 pairs for 25c

60 dozen Men's extra heavy Seamless Socks 81c pair

75 dozen Ladies' full fashioned, fast black, cleared seams Hose 81c pair

100 dozen Children's and Misses' fancy all wool Hose, sold up to 35c, go at 81c pair

All Silk, Satin and Gros Grain Ribbons go at:

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THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1895.

No new party can hurt the Democratic party. It is too badly demolished to be susceptible of injury.

The Democratic congress having adjourned nothing now stands in the way of the complete resumption of business but the Wilson bill.

Tom Platt is still of the opinion that he controls the Republican party in New York, and proposes to deliver the delegates of that state to Tom Reed in 1896. If Reed is depending on Platt and Quay he has made the mistake of his life.

The State of New Jersey has had an arbitration law and a salaried board of arbitration for several years, but not one case of dispute between employers and employees was compromised in 1893 and 1894, though the board of arbitration had many sittings at \$10 a day for each member. The legislature of New Jersey is seriously considering the advisability of repealing the law.

The President left Washington as soon as he signed the last bill to escape the Democratic ex-members of congress who were certain to call on him for favors before they left for home. Specials from the capital touching this event say the hungry hordes of ex-congressmen were sorely disappointed when they called and found the man "bigger than his party" gone. The most disappointing feature of all is that the president left no note on his slate as to when he would return and be in to the ex-Democratic statesmen.

Woman in Court.

Two hundred ladies in Washington recently listened to Justice Brewer deliver a lecture in the hall of Columbia University on "Woman in Court." He urged in a plain, genuine way, that woman was entitled to a legal status corresponding to that of man. He said no one can be insensible to the fact that as respecting the sex there is silently but surely going on a vast social change.

The place she is to fill in years to come is the one very different from that which she has hitherto occupied. We often hear the assertion that it is the glory of Christianity to have elevated woman; to have opened before her many a hitherto closed door, and to have given her earthly life a dignity because it has given it a higher value and a larger usefulness. One thing that better illustrates this change is the modification in the laws respecting her, for the laws of a nation are the evidences of the thought of the nation and the progress it is making in civilization and culture. The old common law of this country and England in reference to the rights of woman was compared with the present; the husbands of a century ago were compared with the husbands of to-day, to show what tremendous gains had been made for women in life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

"The more closely," said Mr. Brewer, "the two lives run into each other, the more of mutuality in education into it, in counsel and in business, the better for the two. Hand in hand they went out of Eden, and hand in hand they must traverse the earth to the paradise of the future."

Government Control of Telegraph.

The United States consul at Southampton in a report to the state department relating to the effect of the government control of the telegraph system in England shows that all of the separate companies' lines were taken by the government in 1870 for £11,000,000, and that in the year succeeding the government built 15,000 miles of wire to connect the various systems. As an illustration of the results of their policy, the report shows that while in 1870 the total number of telegrams handled weekly in all offices was estimated at from 128,000 to 215,000, in 1893 the total exceeded 1,100,000, and the number sent annually exceeded 70,000,000. In 1869 the English press service was 22,000,000 words; now it amounts to 60,000,000 words; thirty times more than formerly.

The present press rate is absurdly small as compared with the tariff prior to 1870, and in place of sending seventy-five words per minute one way, the wires now carry 500 words a minute, and six messages are sent simultaneously on one wire. The service is performed with perfect punctuation, the average time of transmission of a message being about seven or nine minutes, as against two or three hours in 1870. The rate is 12c for twelve words paid by stamps. It is not possible to calculate the cost to the treasury of the telegraph service, because of its combination with the postal service, but the English government does not consider it as a means of revenue, but rather as a means of helping trade and informing the public.

It is said that a \$4,000 Christian church will be built at Deland. Chase was unaptured.

THE INCOME TAX LAW SUITS.

Arrangements for Argument of the Cases Before the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Attorney-General Olney appeared before the supreme court yesterday and asked that the government be permitted to appear in all the cases now before the court in which the constitutionality of the income tax law is to be passed upon. There are two cases from New York and one in the district of Columbia. In the latter the government was directly interested, as it was a suit for an injunction to restrain the commissioner of internal revenue from carrying out the law.

After consulting the wishes of counsel and his associates on the bench, Chief Justice Fuller announced that the three cases would be consolidated for hearing, and that ten hours would be allowed counsel for argument, five on each side, the division of which they might adjust among themselves. If it developed that this time was insufficient, it would be enlarged. The government, he stated, would be permitted to be heard, and three counsels on a side would be permitted to speak. The usual rule giving the opening and closing to the appellants, he said, would be observed, but the court desired that but one counsel for appellants should be heard in closing; that is, that their speeches would be sandwiched in among speeches for appellees.

Counsel have not arranged among themselves how the division of time should be made, but it is probable that ex-Senator Edmunds, Mr. Joseph H. Choate and Mr. Seward will speak for the appellants in opposition to the law and the attorney general and Mr. Carter for appellees in favor of the law. The arguments will probably begin to-day and continue ten days.

FROM HAVANA.

Funeral of the Marquis de Desquenne—Buried and Dispersed.

HAVANA, March 7.—The funeral of the Marquis de Desquenne, vice-president of the reform party, took place yesterday. The services were very imposing and were attended by a large number of prominent persons.

Alfredo and Arango, of Mataga's band, have surrendered to the authorities at Rodas. The mayor of that locality report that Mataga's band consists of a hundred men, most of whom were impressed into the service for the bandit.

The Guantanamo troops have attacked and dispersed the band under Berez Brooks at Luzzo. Several of the band were wounded. The troops captured all their arms, ammunition, etc. The provinces of Puerto Principe, Matanzas, Pinar, Rio and Havana are quiet.

A COLORED EDITOR.

Convicted of Criminal Libel Against Recorder Taylor.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—W. Calvin Chase, a colored editor and lawyer of this city, was convicted in the criminal court yesterday afternoon of criminal libel against Charles J. Taylor, of Kansas, the colored recorder of deeds of the district of Columbia. Taylor was charged by Chase in his paper, the Bee, with gross immorality and with using his power of appointment to secure intimate relations with women. Charges that Taylor had made illegal assessments on colored employees of the government for campaign purposes were made last year, and report on the matter was sent by the civil service commission to President Cleveland, but has not been acted on.

A PRECIOUS PAIR OF ROGUES

Held at Council Bluffs, Ia., for Connection with a Bank Robbery.

CHICAGO, March 7.—The police yesterday received from Council Bluffs, Ia., pictures of the two men who are held there in connection with the Griswold (Ia.) bank robbery. The one who gave his name as White, alias Wilson, is thought to be the Northampton bank robber. The local detectives recognized the picture as that of "Doc," alias "Spoony" Butler, of Pittsburgh, Pa., a notorious safe blower. The other prisoner, Smith, alias Barnes, is believed to be the man who murdered Sergeant-of-Police O'Sheahan, at Cleveland, last summer. His picture was recognized as that of Kirk Jones, a noted bank robber.

SENATOR PETTIGREW SNUBBED

By the Recess Appointment of the Postmaster at Sioux Falls.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The action of the president in making a recess appointment of Alfred D. Tinsley, to be postmaster at Sioux Falls, S. D., has caused much comment among such senators as happened to be about the capitol. This nomination was made during the second session of the fifty-third congress and was permitted to remain unacted upon until that session adjourned. This was due to the opposition of Senator Pettigrew, who resides at Sioux Falls, it being an unwritten law of the senate that the man named for postmaster of the home town of a senator must be acceptable to the senator.

A LEAP FOR LIBERTY.

A Convict Jumps from a Moving Train and Escapes.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 7.—Theodore Chase, convicted of grand larceny and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment, escaped from Sheriff Rinke and his deputy Tuesday when en route to the Walla Walla penitentiary. When the train was about four miles from Starbuck, Chase, who was shackled to Dod Miles, another ten-year man, entered the closet and with the aid of a skeleton key picked the lock on his shackles and jumped through the window, the train going at the rate of eighteen miles an hour at the time.

A deputy heard the shackles drop and, suspecting something was wrong, pulled the bell cord and stopped the train. A couple of the deputies started in pursuit, but at last accounts Chase was unaptured.

A Fatal Explosion in a Sawmill.

PREDMONT, S. D., March 7.—A boiler in Runkel, Rowley & Co.'s sawmill at Runkel's station, near here, exploded yesterday morning, instantly killing Andy Dilks and William E. Warren. The injured are: Thomas Collier, shoulder dislocated, and Robert E. Reposa and James Wright, slightly. The mill is a total wreck. Loss, estimated at \$5,000.

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INTO THE HANDS OF THE JAPANESE,

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The Chinese Finally Routed with Heavy Losses—Arms and Munitions and Provisions Captured.

LONDON, March 7.—The Tokio correspondent of the Central News says a dispatch from Gen. Nodzu, dated at Hsi Cheng, Tuesday, gives this information:

"As arranged, the army attacked old New Chang yesterday. The fighting began at 10 o'clock in the morning. Both divisions had entered the city by noon. Part of the enemy had fled to Yang Kao, but the greater part still occupied the houses and streets and obstinately resisted the Japanese troops. The fighting was desperate, but the Japanese won their way gradually, street by street, until by 11 o'clock in the evening they had completely routed the enemy.

The Chinese left behind 1,880 killed and wounded, 600 prisoners, eighteen guns and great quantities of rifles, ammunition, banners and provisions. The Japanese loss was somewhat above 200 killed and wounded.

SPAIN DEMANDS

The Recall of the American Consul General at Havana.

MADRID, March 7.—Capt. Gen. Calleja has demanded the recall of the American consul general at Havana.

At a cabinet council last night it was agreed to support the demand.

PORT-OF-SPAIN IN FLAMES.

A Four-Million-Dollar Conflagration—Narrow Escape of the Entire City.

PORT-OF-SPAIN, TRINIDAD, March 7.—This city has narrowly escaped total destruction by fire. The loss will amount to nearly \$4,000,000, the chief business section having been the center of the conflagration. Nearly 20,000 people would have been homeless to-day if it had not been for the assistance given by the United States North Atlantic squadron and H. M. S. Buzzard in extinguishing the flames. The facilities for fighting fire are very unsatisfactory, and the people are very indolent. The Maraval water-works, which lie several miles distant, are ample for ordinary purposes, but they are not sufficient for a great emergency.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1895.

LOCAL NEWS.

PAY your taxes to-day.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

ILLINOIS will give 84 trotting meetings
this year. The second state in the Union
in this line.

PAY your taxes at once, time is short.

SMOKE none but the popular Little
Rose and Bouquet cigars, made by
Joseph Michl.

CHERRY phosphate at Irwin's foun-
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REMEMBER the C. B. Prescott music
house for everything and anything
wanted in the musical line. Low prices
for pianos and organs and easy terms.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars,

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Go to I. N. Irwin & Co. for the finest

ice cream soda.

The fact that but about 200 men out
of 2,700 on the police force of Chicago
failed to pass the merit examination
shows that in the past police appoint-
ments have been made with at least
reasonable care.

SPRING blood medicines, all styles, at
Tyler's.

PAY your taxes now—this is the last

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FINEST chocolate ice cream soda in
the city at Irwin's.

A DECATOR citizen walked into Tax
Collector Morgan's office Wednesday,
got his receipt, and handed over a check
for nearly \$3100 for taxes on city prop-
erty, personal and lands for the year

1894. Another party gave a check for
nearly \$1400.

The Grand Opera House cigars, made
by Koch & Weigand, are the best in town.
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Miss McCord is now in the city at-
tending the openings, and looking after
all the latest styles in Millinery and
Novelties.

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The members of the Woodmen band
gathered at the last meeting of Easterly
Camp and after rendering several selec-
tions marched to the hall, where the
non-neighbors were initiated into the
mysteries of woodcraft. The occasion
was an interesting one and will add to
the efficiency and popularity of the
band.

It is not to be wondered at that Ayer's
Pills are in such universal demand. For
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any other complaint needing a laxative,
these pills are unsurpassed. They are
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Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your en-
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The March term of the Christian
county circuit court convened at 10
o'clock Monday morning with Judge
Jacob Fouke, of Vandalia, presiding,
says the Taylorville Breeze. The petit
and grand juries were organized, the
judge appointing H. S. Stutsman, of
Assumption, foreman of the grand jury.
The docket for this term consists of 82
criminal cases, 161 common law cases
and 137 chancery cases, making a total
of 330.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1895.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 7, 1895.
The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor
dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with cor-
respondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis
and St. Louis, for the following market quota-
tions:

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63-inch fine German Loom Damask,

only six styles, no dressing, at 50c.

We have inaugurated a sale of nap-

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napkins extra heavy, seven patterns, choice

515 dozen.

One entire line of napkins in the

fine s. in damask, all the new designs,

all one price, \$2.25 dozen.

100 dozen fancy striped towels, large

size. A bargain at 6c each.

One Case only of extra size crocheted

bed spreads at 6c each.

One Case of soft finish bleached mus-

lin, regular 8c quality, this week at 5½c

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One Bale only of 36 inch Brown sheet-

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10 pieces Brown Sheeting, 2½ yards

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DOLABELLE'S LETTER.

A Few Hints on Costumes for Fancy Dress Balls.

charming Skating Costumes Seen in Central Park—Women Who Have "Nothing Old" Are in Hard Luck Just at Present.

—Social New York Letter
As this is the season of fancy balls, a few hints on costumes may not come amiss, for even in Lent this year there will be literary carnivals dedicated to charity.

There is now in preparation a character party in which Annie of Geisenstein will wear a skirt and bodice of light blue cashmere, trimmed with bands of crimson, edged on either side with gold galore, a crimson sash tied around the waist, ends fringed with

the freedom of long acquaintance.

"our grandmother's?" I asked, with

the freedom of long acquaintance.

"Grandmother's nothing," said the graceless girl, who speaks five languages, and is up in all the literary fads of the day, "never lisp it, my Dolabelle, but I borrowed this gown from my masseuse for a consideration. Isn't it a poem? It belonged to her French relative, and is her last heirloom, and she never goes anywhere—poor thing."

You see there was something in the atmosphere when those old silks were made that acted as a preservative.

Time only softens the fadless colors—

like the mellow tints of an old picture.

There are spasmodic displays of new spring goods, but I shall not commit myself to any definite forecast of the fashions for another month, for I happen to know that spring novelties are in reserve. There is a Napoleon coat, a short, tight-fitting garment trimmed across the front with military braid, which is rather nobby. There are cunning little pockets on the front skirt of the coat which have the Napoleon curve. The Napoleon hat, which only found favor with a few last seasons, is again in evidence, with a cluster of tips on the pointed front brim. And the Napoleon lock hanging over the forehead cultivated again.

Theater gowns are taking the place of the fancy waist, and one that I saw was pronounced enough to deserve mention.

It was of black surah silk, the front of the bodice being of pink silk, as was also the immense collar, which crossed in front, extended like wings across the figure, and formed a deep sailor collar in the back, edged with a ruffle of the same. The full draped sleeves were gathered from the elbow downwards into the seams, fitting the arm closely. The waist and neck were accentuated with large bows of pink satin. The skirt was entirely plain.

The pouf-waist is the ugly name of an ugly fashion, but one which just now is the rage. It is to have the front of the waist hang over the skirt just in the front line, and the most elegant gowns are made in this way. I have not seen one that was becoming to any style of figure.

The story of the woman who, going to purchase a new calico gown, asked

the wife of "Taffy was a Welshman" is a popular subject in our semi-English circles, and her dress is significant and tiring, as you can see by the illustration. The skirt is of pale blue satin, and at one side is a group of Prince of Wales feathers, tied with cherry ribbon, on which the motto "Ich Dien" is embroidered. The bodice and draperies are of dark blue velvet, the apron and fitch of folded white chiffon. She carries a distaff in her hand.

April Fool's day wears a blue satin evening gown, with bands of yellow on which fish are embroidered after the old conceit of that day. A fool's head bauble is carried in the hand, and a fringe of red and yellow ribbons falls from the waist, with gilt ornaments at each end. Lipuette of gold lace which is put to stand out like wings on the shoulders, and prominent gold balls are attached to these. The hair is powdered and horns stand out on either side, which effect can be obtained with fancy coifs.

A carnival of Days under the management of Mother Day and Sister Night is in preparation, with Sunshine songs and lullabies.

The "Lattice Rose" is another charming costume for carnivals. A skirt of white satin is crossed with bars of black ribbon velvet. The yoke is of bright blue silk, and the fancy jacket is lined with pink. The hat is of moss-green velvet, enhanced by a wreath of pink roses and a blue satin bow. A wreath of pink roses finishes the edge of the bodice and neck. Roses fill in the interstices of the latticed skirt.

The clerk to give her something neat but not gaudy, "just plain red and yellow," occurred to me yesterday when I was looking at a new party waist made for a young matron of elegant tastes. She had described it as "very plain." Here is what it really was, and, I can assure you, it was a dream:

The body of the waist is of changeable yellow taffeta silk, completely covered with a perfectly matched shade of yellow chiffon which hangs in the pouch effect down the front. Draped over this is a black net, embroidered with iridescent beads, and edged with iridescent fringe which is put on to simulate a Bolero jacket. A piece of this crosses the back edge of the waist. The immense sleeves are of black satin, the zebra collar; the twist around the waist and the lining of the yellow silk rosettes, are of turquoise blue velvet. Did you ever hear of such a combination? Yet all who saw it raved about it, and some tried to copy it.

There is no decided attempt at spring costumes yet, but I am informed that both jackets and capes will be worn, that yellow lace will be revived in greater abundance than ever, that yellow will be very popular, being used to outline the seams in dress skirts and to finish edges, that the high trimmings of hats will come down, and the wide flat shelf-brim will be worn.

Long traveling cloaks of blue cloth for the neck made out of ribbon or lace, and belts with silver garniture are displayed everywhere.

The silk blouse waist, and the skirt waist of cambric, are to be worn by everybody next season.

A word about black silks. They can be nicely renovated with pale blue velvet sleeves, waistlets and collar—the skirt remaining plain. If for evening wear, trim the skirt with graduated bands of yellow chiffon, which radiate from the waist down, ending each one with a rosette of yellow velvet at the hem of the dress. Yoke of shirred yellow chiffon, with collar of the velvet, and strips of chiffon lengthwise on bodice. Sleeves of the velvet. DOLABELLE.

—*Eclectic Indiana Express.*

A South Bend paper has found two

epicurean monstrosities in that city

One ate mince pie with cold tea and

the other puts sugar in his oyster soup

it. Now I have seen so many grandmother's gowns this winter that were said to be heirlooms from the "sicker boulders and DePeysters and Van Remmels of a century gone, that I am forced to the conclusion that there is a place where they are made to order, like the grandfather's clocks and antique furniture. I saw a dowager's dress on a slip of a girl, who wore under her chin a miniature of the Louis Seize period, and cameos of priceless cut. It was blue and silver, with faint pink roses worked in the fabric, and carried with it the odor of sandal-wood chest.

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ABOUT PEOPLE.

THE HAYWARD TRIAL.

Closing Speech for the Defense by Mr. Erwin.

THE WITNESS BLIXT EXCORIATED.

His Testimony Denounced as a Structure of Vile Falsehoods—The Green Goods and Hypnotic Stories Scouted—Goes to the Jury.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 6.—The wonderful renown of the "Vall Pine" was the magnet, undoubtedly, that drew to the criminal court room the enormous crowd that poured up and around the attorneys and reporters' tables, and threatened even to swamp the sacred precincts of the judicial bench itself. It was beyond question the most dense, unruly, sensation-loving, unreasonable crowd that has yet gathered within the criminal court room of this city.

Mr. Erwin began his speech to the jury at 10 o'clock. He was bitter in his arraignment of Blixt, and made a savage assault upon his character. Continuing, he said:

"Now, at first blush, in the ordinary course of life, a reference to a man of Blixt's character, if he should make charges against one of your neighbors, you would not ordinarily believe a word of it. Who ever thought of using Judas as a witness after the betrayal of the Master. That was true penitence. And from such penitence forgiveness came. He went out and hanged himself. He contemplated his own uselessness. That's what your man ought to do [turning to Assistant Attorney Hall]. I think Blixt has proved himself to be the most astonishing and daring perjurer I have ever seen on the witness stand. And one thing I have to thank the Almighty for, for my skill did not bring it out, but Blixt himself has demonstrated his character as a perjurer. Blixt's testimony is a structure of vile fabrication; he built it well and when he had finished, the attorney for the state put a spike upon it and called it the church of the living God."

Then he turned his attention to Adry Hayward, and directly charged him with being one of the murderers.

The greengoods story was scoffed at, and Mr. Erwin asked if the whole jury had gone deaf to believe such a piece of testimony as that, she had gone into a scheme to go after greengoods with such a looking thing as Blixt. It was shameful.

"The hypnotic theory first emanated from that distinguished friar, Blixt's attorney. Blixt's memory came afterward. He wrote the blackboard full and then wiped it out again. What are you going to do? Has close confinement made you so morbid that all that is necessary to do is to telephone in your ears and you'll believe it?"

With a final shot at the unreliability of Blixt's testimony Mr. Erwin rested, and court adjourned until to-morrow when Mr. Erwin will close and the case will be given to the jury.

AGOG WITH EXCITEMENT

Over the Finding of Dead Bodies in the Seattie Reservoir.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 7—Seattle has been agog with excitement for the past few days over the report that the dead bodies of two infants and a Chinaman had been found in the main water reservoir in the most aristocratic portion of the city. The story was not credited at first, but it is now positively stated that such was the case, a workman employed in cleaning out the reservoir being authority for the statement. The bodies were fleshless, and had evidently been in the reservoir for some time. An investigation will be made.

LOOKS LIKE A SWINDLE.

Peculiar Methods of Wrought Iron Stove Sales Agents.

DAYTON, O., March 7.—The agents of the St. Louis Wrought Iron Stove Co. are having a stormy time of it here in trying to collect for cooking ranges they sold to citizens of this town and county last August and September. It is said they sold 600 ranges at \$60 each. The attempt to collect for one of these ranges at Mrs. E. E. Austin's place to-day caused the arrest of Harvey Clingman, one of the agents, on a charge of forgery. Mrs. Austin claims that she did not sign the note presented.

The alleged scheme by which the agents sold so many ranges is something after the plan of the celebrated Bohemian oats swindle. It is said they would go to a house and put in a range on six months' trial. If accepted they would take a note payable on the installment plan and due in ten years.

When the six months passed a note was presented for \$60, the full price of the range. The ten-year contract disappeared, and instead a note due in six months took its place. The citizens cannot account for this unless one of the duplicate contracts they signed was the note, which was afterward detached.

The swindle amounts to \$400,000. Only one arrest has been made. The purchasers are holding an indiguation meeting to protest against further payments.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

THE WORLD'S HOLIDAYS.

JULY 24, Pioneer day, is a holiday in Utah.

SUNDAY is a legal holiday in all the states.

MAY 10 is Memorial day in North Carolina, and is a holiday.

MARCH 4 is a legal holiday in New Orleans. It is called Firemen's day.

JULY 4, Independence day, is a legal holiday in all the states of the union.

APRIL 26, Memorial day, is observed in the states of Alabama and Georgia.

SEPTEMBER 9, Admission day, is observed as legal holiday in California.

NOVEMBER 25 is Labor day in Louisiana and is a legal holiday in that state.

JUBILEES in the Roman church were instituted by Pope Boniface VIII in 1300.

IN many parts of rural England Morris dances are still popular at Whitsun-tide.

APRIL 21, the anniversary of the great battle of San Jacinto, is a Texan holiday.

THE cricket match at Melbourne between England and Australia was ended yesterday. The English team finished six wickets ahead, thereby winning three of the five test matches against Australia.

—Three ex-members of the house, John J. O'Neill, of Missouri; John T. Dunn, of New Jersey, and D. W. Brookshire, of Indiana, were yesterday admitted to practice in the United States supreme court.

—"The Mecca" saloon at 188 Walnut street, Cincinnati, owned by Gruber & Salmar, one of the finest establishments of its kind in the country, was gutted by fire yesterday. The loss will probably exceed \$20,000.

—The striking miners at the Cleveland Hemite mine at Negauqua, Mich., have gone back to work. A compromise was reached by which the men are allowed to put in longer hours at the same rate per hour as formerly.

—Mr. Walker's new yacht, Ailsa, arrived at Cannes at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. It is commanded by Admiral Foy, formerly commander of the Satacas, and carries a crew of thirty men, picked from the crews of the Iverna, Valkyrie and Satacas.

—While a west-bound North-avenue horse car was crossing the cable track at Milwaukee avenue in Chicago, yesterday, it was run into by a Milwaukee avenue grip and badly wrecked. Clinton Jurgenson, a 15-year-old boy, was caught in the wreck and his spine and legs badly injured.

—M. Georges Graux, the distinguished French political writer and deputy for the Saint Pol district of Pas-de-Calais, has written an article in the Paris Journal des Debats, in which he says that without the surtax colonial sugars from the equipped refineries in Egypt may replace France's sugars in foreign markets.

—Nothing has been heard thus far of John Owen Bahe, the missing financial manager in New York city of the Union Central Life Insurance Co. of Cincinnati, who started for Boston last Thursday night on the Fall River line boat Plymouth, in company with Dr. Henry T. Boyle, a medical examiner for the company.

—At a depth of 150 feet on H. Gaskill's farm, near Troy, in Will county, Ill., a vein of oil has been struck. The water and oil rose to within a few feet of the top, and eight feet of natural oil rested in the water. This is the third well in which oil has been found in that section, and an investigation will be made.

A "FAILING DEBTOR" ♡

Found Guilty of Embezzling from the Standard Oil Co.

DETROIT, Mich., March 7.—Norval A. Hawkins, ex-washer of the local branch of the Standard Oil Co., was found guilty by a jury, in the recorder's court last evening, of having embezzled \$2,700 of the company's funds. Hawkins was released on \$7,000 bail last night. This bail will be reduced to \$3,000 to-day and the case will be carried to the supreme court.

Hawkins was charged with having embezzled \$8,000 from the company. The defalcation was discovered last summer, and he was arrested and released on bail pending trial.

The defense admitted that Hawkins had taken the money, but claimed that he had never lost sight of his obligation to the company, and had invested \$3,000 of the amount in the hope of increasing his earning capacity and squaring his accounts. It was claimed that he was not a criminal, but a failing debtor.

Death of a Millionaire Lumberman. RACINE, Wis., March 7.—After an illness of several days Otis R. Johnson, the lumberman and capitalist died here yesterday, aged 80 years. He leaves an estate estimated as high as \$10,000,000. He was a partner of the late Senator Stockbridge, of Michigan. Gen. Russell A. Alger and ex-Senator Sawyer, of Wisconsin. He owned millions of dollars' worth of property in the California redwood forest.

MARRIED AND DESERTED BY A BIGAMIST. SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 7.—John L. Clark, on January 29 last, married Mrs. Elizabeth Barker, a widow of this city. Three days later he started east saying he had an estate in Muskegon, Mich., which he had to settle up. He has not returned and it has been ascertained that he has a wife living in Muskegon. The second wife will prosecute Clark for bigamy when he can be found.

In the Sheriff's Hands. LEBANON, Pa., March 7.—Another large manufacturing plant in this city is in the sheriff's hands—the Union boiler works, Col. Robert H. Hammond, proprietor. The works were seized on executions aggregating \$1,000. Col. Hammond is one of the oldest and best-known manufacturers in the Lebanon valley.

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AT A CRITICAL MOMENT.—The great conflict seemed to be in more doubt than ever, just after the emancipation proclamation. Mr. Lincoln expressed his own view of the situation with: "We are a good deal like whalers who have been long on a chase. At last we have got our harpoon fairly into the monster; but we must look out how we steer, or with one flop of his tail he will yet send us all into eternity."

GOSSIP OF WOMEN WRITERS.

Miss Florence Marryat is coming to this country to lecture about ghosts and other weird things.

MAXWELL GRAY, the author of "The Silence of Dean Maillard," is now a confirmed invalid. For ten years he has not left the Isle of Wight, where she lives with her aged father.

Mrs. Elizabeth Phelps Ward has written the serial that will run in the new volume of the Atlantic. It is called "A Singular Life," and it is said to be in her earlier and mystical manner.

No change for the better has taken place in the condition of Miss Christina Rossetti. She knows that the end is near and she awaits it with perfect serenity. The world will lose a true poet when Miss Rossetti dies.

LADY COLLIN CAMPBELL's new anti-weekly, The Realm, has made an auspicious beginning. She has a long list of well-known names among her contributors, and to quote her own words, "The Realm will be thoroughly up to date."

Her royal highness Princess Louise, Marchioness of Lorne, has a pretty talent for drawing which she has put to use in making illustrations for Douglas Campbell's poem, "Auld Robin the Farmer," published by David Douglas, of Edinburgh. Many professional illustrators might envy Princess Louise her talent.

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TOBACCO FACTS.

INDIAN pipes, made in the shape of an elephant, have been found in the Mississippi valley.

THE flowers of some species of the tobacco plant open only at sunset and close at sunrise.

THE clay pipes of England, France and Holland are mostly made by the labor of children.

Most of the Indian pipes of this country are made of the red steatite found in the northwest.

THE name "negro head" is applied to large rolls of tobacco, weighing six to ten pounds each.

THE department of lot, in France, produces a tobacco with nearly eight per cent of nicotine.

INSTANCES have been known of lime being added to snuff to increase its dryness and pungency.

THE annual consumption of tobacco in the United States is about sixty quarts to each inhabitant.

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Children's Jackets at \$3, \$3.50, \$4 and \$5.

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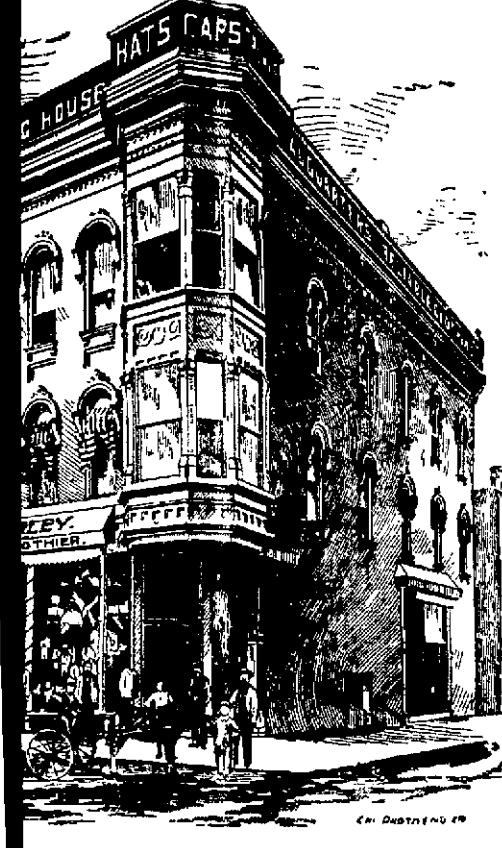
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3 lbs Soda or Oyster Crackers.....	1	1 package Soda.....	09
1 lb Ginger Snaps.....	1	1 quart Liquid Blueing.....	09
3 large cakes Buttermilk Soap.....	20	1 gallon Best Trout.....	19
6 lbs Lord's Best Flour.....	93	1 gallon White Drip Syrup.....	40
1 lb good Japan Tea.....	48	1 can Blackberries.....	05
1 dozen Lemons.....	23	1 can Sweet Corn.....	05
1 can Cream Baking Powder.....	25	1 can String Beans.....	05
3 lbs The Rolled Oats.....	10	1 can Tomatoes.....	10
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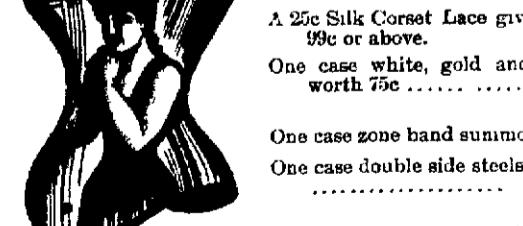
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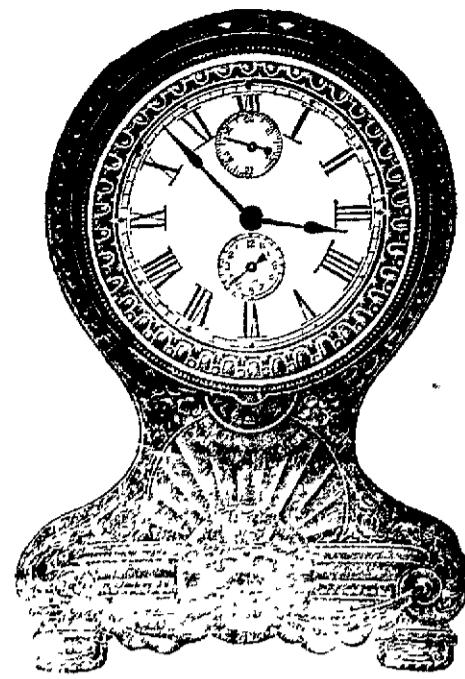
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Commandery, No. 9 E. I. (this Thursday)
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Knight Templar in regular session.
M. C. HERMAN, E. C. C. L. HOWES, Rec.

RATHBONE SISTERS—Regular meeting of
R. Rathbone Temple, No. 38, E. I., Thursday
at 7:30 p.m. SARAH SMITH, M. E. SUSAN
BOBO, M. R. C.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Court de Leon
Lodge, No. 17, K. of P., will meet the
Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Members re-
quested to attend: T. G. WILSON, C. C. F. W.
WISMAN, K. of R. and S.

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at 7:30 p.m. Business of importance.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS.—Regular meeting of
R. Royal Lead Camp, No. 29, E. N. A., in P. S.
of A. Hall this evening at 7:30

LOCAL NEWS.

ICE cream sodas at Irwin's.

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FRIDAY, March 1st, opening day for
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KANE ADAMS, formerly the autocrat
of the old caboose, which once stood on
the lot at the corner of West Wood and
Church streets, died recently in Texas.

TO-DAY Mr. James and Mr. Brown
were arrested on a state warrant by
Deputy Holmes for disorderly conduct.
The complainant is Mrs. Ella N. Owen.
The parties live on Olive street.

THE Temple Quartette entertainments
at the Christian Tabernacle last night
was largely attended. The music was of
a very high order, and every number
was warmly applauded.

The net earnings of the Wabash lines
for January were \$196,493, an increase
over January 1894, of \$41,26. The net
earnings for the first seven months of its
fiscal year were \$1,873,954, an increase
this year of \$33,557.

MARRIAGE licenses were issued to-day
to Edwin F. Kuny and Miss Bertha
Honecker, of Decatur; to John Blanchard,
of Shelby county, and Mrs. Lutitia
Lockard, of Christian county; and to
Charles T. Watkins and Miss Effie Whit-
sell, both of Mt. Auburn.

WHILE no physician or pharmacist
can conscientiously warrant a cure, the
J. C. Ayer Co. guaranteed the purity,
strength, and medicinal virtues of
Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It was the only
World's Fair in Chicago, in 1893.

PETER HUFFMAN died at the poor farm
on Tuesday at the age of 62 years. He
was formerly a resident of Oakley town-
ship, and went to the farm from there
last August. His death was the result
of kidney trouble, with which he had
been afflicted for a great many years.
The burial was at the farm.

THOSE present Wednesday at the golden
wedding dinner and celebration
of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kizer at 311 West
Cerro Gordo street, were S. S. and Lydia
Kizer, H. W. and Martha Davis, Thomas
S. and Lizzie Kizer, Decatur; Claborn and
Matilda Jones, Mt. Zion township; Abel Camp and daughter, Mrs. Mary A.
Stuckel, J. H. Kizer and family, M. D.
Kizer and family, Long Creek; J. R.
Wortham and family, T. J. Kizer and
family, Hammond; W. R. Kizer and
family, Mattoon; W. L. Wortham and
wife, Tuscola.

MCKINNIE IS MISSING.

Strange Disappearance of a Decatur Liveryman.

L. H. McKinnie, better known as
Lute McKinnie, the South Main street
liveryman, is still missing. He left his
home shortly after the breakfast hour
yesterday morning, and since 8 o'clock
he has not been seen or heard of by his
family or friends. The fact of Mr. Mc-
Kinnie's disappearance was not made
known to the police until last night at 9
o'clock, when Mrs. McKinnie, who had
been searching in vain for news of her
husband's whereabouts, gave notice that
he was gone. She does not know what
to make of the singular disappearance,
neither do the two sons, the neighbors
and friends.

Mr. McKinnie took breakfast with his
wife yesterday morning and said nothing
about going away and gave no signs
that he was ill or out of his head. He
passed out of the house without taking
the cape overcoat he usually wore, and
passed up the street on his way to the
city. Parties in the neighborhood saw
him half on the sidewalk, ponder a few
moments, and then turn back toward
the barn. That was the last seen of him
by any of the people of the neighborhood,
and to-day the family and friends
are as much in the dark as to McKi-
nnie's whereabouts as they were last
night.

Mr. McKinnie is greatly worried over
the absence of his husband. Their re-
lations have always been of the most
pleasant character, and there was no
domestic cause whatever for the dis-
appearance. His business affairs are in
good shape, and so far as known he was
in no trouble. He had but very little
money with him when he left home.

Mr. McKinnie has relatives at Springfield,
and a brother at Taylorville. He came here from Blue Mound about five
years ago, selling his farm and putting
the front of the McKinnie barn, and the
officiating clergyman was Dr. W. H. Pendleton,
and the witnesses of the interesting
event were Miss Lizzie Frank and Park
Hammer.

The couple left at once for Chicago on
bridal trip. Mr. Kuny is the only son
of Fred Kuny, a retired business man,
and is the senior member of the real
estate firm of Kuny & Johns. He is a
shrewd and successful business man.
His chosen bride is a young lady very
popular with all her many acquaint-
ances. The REPUBLICAN offers its best
wishes.

JUDGMENT AGAINST WHITE.

The Pawnbroker Must Pay Mrs.
Robbins \$13—The Other Cases.

In Justice Shorb's court this forenoon
the Squire gave his decision in the case
of Mrs. Helen M. Robbins against H. M.
White, the pawnbroker, who had re-
fused to make good the disappearance of
a watch and ring, alleged to have been
taken away by the thieves who broke
into the store Nov. 16, and got away
with \$1,500 worth of property. The
Squire had devoted the most of Wednes-
day in hearing evidence and arguments,
and this morning he gave his decision.
He held that Mr. White had not ex-
ercised proper care in protecting the val-
uables and keepsakes of people to whom
he had loaned money, and in his judg-
ment White should make good the loss
sustained by Mrs. Robbins. He said
White was negligent in leaving his safe
unlocked and in not having the back
door securely fastened. He fixed the
value of the watch at \$15 and that of the
ring at \$5; total \$20. He allowed White
\$7 on the amount loaned, and gave Mrs.
Robbins judgment for \$13. White to pay
the costs. Mr. White's attorney took
an appeal. There are three other cases
against White. They are to be tried on
March 16, if the attorney have the time
that day.

KUNY—HONECKER.

Quiet March Marriage at the Pres-
byterian Parsonage.

The many friends of Mr. Edwin F.
Kuny and Miss Bertha Honecker will be
surprised and pleased to learn that they
were united in marriage to day at 11
o'clock at the Presbyterian parsonage
on West North street. The officiating
clergyman was Dr. W. H. Pendleton,
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IN THE COURT.

Civil and People's Cases Get At-
tention.Judge Vail is hearing evidence in civil
cases in the circuit court this week.

COMMON LAW DOCTOR.

W. C. Dimock, assignee of George E. Knight,
appellant, vs. James M. Miller, appeal. Trial
by jury pending.W. S. DoSpain vs. Thomas Lyons, appellant;
appeal. Dismissed as per agreement of the.Carrie Kivis vs. W. W. Conard, replevin.
Trial by jury. Verdict for plaintiff for \$20. Motion
entered for a new trial.J. W. Burt, appellant, vs. Jenkins and T. D.
Shay; appeal. Verdict for defendants.Sadie and Robert Steward vs. W. W. Conard,
constable, appellant, appeal. Suit settled and
dismissed at cost of plaintiff's.

PROFESSOR DOCKET.

People vs. T. L. Williams, violating liquor law.
Sent back to no trial sentence.People vs. W. H. Hill, larceny. The prisoner
had been in jail 60 days. He made a schedule
as a poor person and was discharged.

Removal of Hon. D. Keller.

The many personal and political
friends of the Hon. D. P. Keller will re-
gret to learn that he has decided for
business reasons to leave Macon county
and locate permanently at the thriving
town of Moweaqua in Shelby county.
Mr. Keller has been a farmer and stock
raiser near Macon for over a score of
years, and has ever been one
of the solid men of the county.
Republican in politics, he has been
justly honored by his party. He has
represented the old 29th district in the
legislature for two terms ably and well,
and his advice and counsel on matters
of public importance has ever been fear-
less and wise. The REPUBLICAN regrets
the removal of Mr. Keller. He is one of
the noble army of the "salt of the earth"
in all that pertains to nobleness of char-
acter and right living, and we but voice
the sentiment of a wide circle of ac-
quaintances and friends when we bid
him Godspeed, happiness and prefer-
ment in his new home, where he is
interested in banking and other enter-
prises. He is not far away, it is true,
but he is out of the county, and in an
other political and judicial district.
Personally Mr. Keller regrets the change.
He says it is just like leaving home
and all of its fond recollections to go
away, because no more can be felt that
he is a part of old Macon and her politi-
cal fortunes.

Republican Ward Primary.

A Republican primary meeting will be
held at the grocery store at the corner of
Edmund and Warren streets, on Friday
evening, March 8, 1895, at 7:30
o'clock, for the purpose of nominating
one candidate for Alderman for the
Sixth ward. This action is taken on ac-
count of Albert Goodman declining the
nomination.

C.

S. HANKEINS,
Chairman Sixth Ward.

Caught at Danville.

Charles Eckler, who stole the suits of
clothes belonging to the Huntley-Bixby
company, was caught last night at Dan-
ville on descriptive cards sent out from
Decatur and Tolono. Officer Muthers-
baugh with a warrant went over after
Eckler. He will probably be brought
back for trial.

Moved to Macon.

J. N. Hill and family moved to the
vicinity of Macon yesterday where he
will engage in farming. He purchased
a farm of Mr. Walker some time ago and
that gentleman has come to the city to
and will make his home on West Macon
street. He took Mr. Hill's residence on
the trade.

CLARENCE KELSO is again in the city.
He will furnish an appeal bond in the
county court on a bastard charge.

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